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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. July 12, 2021 - For the week ending July 11, 2021, there were 6.1 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 32% very short, 43% short, 24% adequate, and 1% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 42% very short, 38% short, 20% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Soybean condition rated 11% very poor, 26% poor, 42% fair, 20% good, and 1% excellent. Soybeans blooming was 33%, ahead of 28% last year, but near 35% for the five-year average. Setting pods was 1%, near 2% last year and 4% average.

Spring wheat condition rated 22% very poor, 32% poor, 30% fair, 15% good, and 1% excellent. Spring wheat jointed was 96%, near 94% last year and 97% average. Headed was 84%, ahead of 76% last year, and near 82% average. Coloring was 16%, ahead of 5% last year, and near 13% average.

Durum wheat condition rated 12% very poor, 19% poor, 24% fair, 39% good, and 6% excellent. Durum wheat jointed was 91%, near 93% last year. Headed was 69%, near 72% both last year and average. Coloring was 12%, near 8% last year, and ahead of 7% average.

Winter wheat condition rated 29% very poor, 30% poor, 29% fair, 11% good, and 1% excellent. Winter wheat headed was 89%. Coloring was 61%, ahead of 42% last year and 49% average. Mature was 27%, well ahead of 4% last year, and ahead of 9% average. Harvested was 5%.

Corn condition rated 7% very poor, 20% poor, 40% fair, 31% good, and 2% excellent. Corn silking was 8%, ahead of 1% last year, but near 9% average.

Canola condition rated 18% very poor, 27% poor, 24% fair, 29% good, and 2% excellent. Canola blooming was 87%, ahead of 80% last year, and equal to average. Coloring was 5%, near 4% last year and 9% average.

Sugarbeet condition rated 1% very poor, 5% poor, 31% fair, 48% good, and 15% excellent.

Oats condition rated 24% very poor, 30% poor, 29% fair, 16% good, and 1% excellent. Oats jointed was 97%, ahead of 92% last year, and near 96% average. Headed was 78%, ahead of 71% last year, and equal to average. Coloring was 13%, ahead of 7% last year, but behind 18% average. Mature was 2%.

Barley condition rated 23% very poor, 31% poor, 33% fair, 12% good, and 1% excellent. Barley jointed was 96%, near 93% last year and 97% average. Headed was 82%, ahead of 74% last year, but near 84% average. Coloring was 14%, ahead of 8% last year, but behind 19% average.

Dry edible peas condition rated 10% very poor, 27% poor, 32% fair, 29% good, and 2% excellent. Dry edible peas blooming was 86%, near 85% both last year and average. Dropping leaves was 8%, ahead of 3% last year, but near 9% average.

Sunflower condition rated 5% very poor, 23% poor, 49% fair, 22% good, and 1% excellent. Sunflowers emerged was 92%, near 94% last year. Blooming was 2%, equal to last year, and near 6% average.

Flaxseed condition rated 12% very poor, 27% poor, 30% fair, 29% good, and 2% excellent. Flaxseed blooming was 77%, ahead of 63% last year and 66% average. Coloring was 4%.

Potato condition rated 10% very poor, 17% poor, 52% fair, 20% good, and 1% excellent. Potatoes blooming was 68%, ahead of 55% last year and 54% average. Rows closed was 18%, ahead of 12% last year.

Dry edible bean condition rated 13% very poor, 30% poor, 41% fair, 14% good, and 2% excellent. Dry edible beans blooming was 18%, near 21% last year, and behind 28% average. Setting pods was 1%.

Alfalfa condition rated 34% very poor, 32% poor, 27% fair, 7% good, and 0% excellent. Alfalfa first cutting was 85%, behind 90% last year, but near 83% average. Second cutting was 5%, equal to last year, and near 7% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 41% very poor, 30% poor, 23% fair, 6% good, and 0% excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 40% very short, 37% short, 23% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, NDSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.

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